

# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Title: METAL SHEET PRESSING METHOD

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form.  
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2. ☐ Small Entity Status is hereby asserted.

3. ☒ Specification  
(preferred arrangement set forth below) [Total Pages: 8]  
- Descriptive title of the Invention  
- Cross References to Related Applications  
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D  
- Reference to Sequence Listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix.

- Background of the Invention  
- Brief Summary of the Invention  
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)  
- Detailed Description  
- Claim(s)  
- Abstract of the Disclosure

4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets: 4]

5. ☒ Oath or Declaration [Total Pages: 3]  
a.1. ☒ Newly executed (original or copy)  
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b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)

i. ☐ **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

6. ☐ Application Data Sheet (see 37 CFR 1.76)

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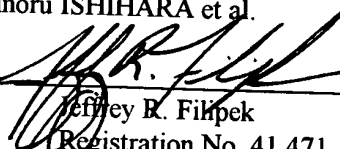
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